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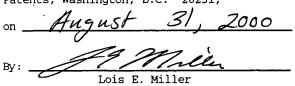
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- 1. Declaration and Power of Attorney signed by inventors
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 and J. Fernando Bazan in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63;
 - 2. Petition for a two-month extension of time; and,
 - 3. A copy of the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application- Filing Date Granted."

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